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CHEROKEE EYES ONLY FOR BRZEZINSKI

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EXDIS (TREAT AS NODIS CHEROKEE)

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PGOV IS EG

SUBJ: COMPOSITION OF BEGIN'S PARTY

REFS: (A) CAIRO 22448, (B) TEL AVIV 10915, (C) CAIRO 22498

1. PRIME MINISTER INTENDS TO INCLUDE FOLLOWING LADIES IN
PARTY:

MRS BEGIN

MRS SUSIE EBBAN (WIFE OF ABBA EBAN. FYI HE WILL NOT
BE A MEMBER OF PARTY.)

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MRS RENE GAON (WIFE OF A WEALTHY ISRAELI BUSINESSMAN
WHO LIVES IN GENEVA. HE IS A CLOSE AND OLD FRIEND OF
BEGIN'S BUT IS NOT ACTIVE POLITICALLY.

KADISHAI SAYS THERE IS ALSO POSSIBILITY BEGIN'S YOUNGEST
DAUGHTER LEAH BEGIN (IN HER EARLY THIRTIES) MAY ACCOMPANY
GROUP AS WELL AS MRS HAIM LANDAU. (FYI MRS LANDAU

IS WIFE OF ANOTHER FORMER IRGUN COLLEAGUE OF BEGIN'S AND
A VERY CLOSE FRIEND OF THE FAMILY. WILL CONFIRM AS
SOON AS DECISION MADE.

2. COMMENT: BEGIN CLEARLY SEES THIS AS A HISTORIC
VISIT AND, ACCORDING TO KADISHAI, IS MOST ANXIOUS
THAT HIS WIFE AND HER CLOSEST FRIENDS BE WITNESS TO
THE EVENT.

3. FOR DEPARTMENT: IS THERE SPECIAL REASON WHY THIS
SUBJECT MUST REMAIN IN CHEROKEE SERIES? LEWIS UNQTE VANCE

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